IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 6, lines 8-12 substitute the following paragraph:

The invention provides a novel microorganism strain *Lactobacillus paracasei* GM-080, which is capable of treating allergy. The strain GM-080 was deposited with the China Center for Type Culture Collection (CCTCC), Wuhan University, Wuhan 430072, People's Republic of China, under the accession number of CCTCC M 204012 on February 19, 2004.